

UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MICHIGAN
SOUTHERN DIVISION

WILLIE E. SHACKLEFORD,

Plaintiff,

v.

Case No. 04-74023
Hon. Bernard A. Friedman

COMMISSIONER OF SOCIAL SECURITY,

Defendant.

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MEMORANDUM OPINION AND ORDER

This matter is before the Court on Magistrate Judge R. Steven Whalen's Report and Recommendation dated September 21, 2005. No objections were filed thereto.

This Court has had an opportunity to fully review this matter and believes that the Magistrate Judge has reached the correct conclusions for the proper reasons.

ACCORDINGLY:

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that Magistrate Judge R. Steven Whalen's Report and Recommendation dated September 21, 2005, is hereby accepted and adopted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that defendant's motion for summary judgment is granted.

IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that plaintiff's motion for summary judgment is denied.

March 8, 2006

Detroit, Michigan

s/Bernard A. Friedman

BERNARD A. FRIEDMAN
CHIEF JUDGE

**I hereby certify that a copy of the foregoing document
was served this date upon counsel of record
electronically and/or via first-class mail.**

/s/ Patricia Foster Hommel

**Patricia Foster Hommel
Secretary to Chief Judge Friedman**